

### ABSTRACT

The present invention relates to an expansion tube that has a plurality of expansion slits on the outer peripheral surface thereof along a longitudinal direction, each of the expansion  
5 slits having a predetermined width and a relatively larger length than the predetermined width, and an apparatus for manufacturing a heat shrinkable tube, having the expansion tube, that can regularly and fast expand the heat shrinkable tube, and after the expansion, regularly and fast cool the heat shrinkable tube by  
10 the cooling water sprayed through the slits, thereby rapidly and stably manufacturing the heat shrinkable.